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FACULTY.

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The next Annual Course of Lectures in this Institution will commence on THURSDAY, MARCH 6th, 1856, and continue sixteen weeks.

The organization of the College comprises seven Professorships; and the course of each Professor, except in the department of Medical Jurisprudence, will consist of between eighty and ninety Lectures.

To add to the value of the respective courses of the Practice of Medicine, Pathology and Surgery, the Faculty have, for many years, held a Clinique, not only for Surgical, but Medical cases. All persons, presenting themselves before the class, receive advice and treatment gratuitously, and all Surgical operations are performed without charge. A large number of cases is thus brought before the class, and no inconsiderable number and variety of Surgical operations are performed. The medical Clinique affords the students a highly valuable opportunity for physical examinations of patients, particularly for the practice of Auscultation and Percussion; and special instruction in this department will be given by the Professor of the Practice of Medicine. The success which has attended this measure warrants the belief that it will continue to be a valuable and permanent feature in the instruction of the College.

In the department of Anatomy, every facility will be afforded the students for the acquisition of a practical knowledge of the science. Classes will be furnished with an abundant supply of subjects, at as low a rate as at any other country institution. The dissecting room is large and admirably lighted from above. The classes engaged in dissecting are under the direction and instruction of a competent demonstrator, for whose services no fee is required. The Professor of Anatomy gives regular instruction in minute anatomy to the students in classes; and frequent opportunities will be afforded during the session for the study of some of the best microscopic preparations of Hett and others.

The course of lectures on Surgery is designed to be thoroughly practical. All important operations are performed before the class, and the application of surgical apparatus and dressings is exhibited.

During the last course, cases of encysted and fatty tumors, cleft-palate, hydrocele, strabismus, cataract, hare-lip, etc., were operated upon before the class, and cases not requiring operations were exhibited. This clinique does not depend upon Woodstock alone, but receives cases from all the eastern part of Vermont.

The department of Physiology is illustrated by a series of highly interesting and valuable experiments upon living animals—including an exhibition of all the physiological processes which can be shown: of the circulation, nutrition, innervation and reproduction; in fact all those brilliant experiments which, in the hands of M. Bernard and Prof. Dalton, have given so great interest to the study of Physiology within a few years.

Without entering into further details of the plan of instruction followed by this College, it is sufficient to say that the Faculty intend that their course shall be thoroughly practical, at the same time that it is an exponent of the most advanced scientific learning. Every thing that is capable of ocular demonstration will be fully illustrated by diagrams, preparations and experiments.

FEES.

The fee for all the courses is \$50. Matriculation-fee, \$3. Students of the third course, who have attended one or both of the previous courses in other respectable colleges, will pay \$10. Two full courses in this institution, will entitle students to a third course, on the payment of the matriculation-fee only. Graduation-fee, \$18. Doctors of Medicine are admitted without fee.

Each student, on entering the College, must enroll his name on the records of the Institution, with the place of his residence and the name of his instructor; and, at the same time, pay the fee of matriculation.

Within ten days from the commencement of the term, each student must pay the fee for the course.

GRADUATION.

The degree of Doctor of Medicine is conferred at the the close of the lecture-term upon those gentlemen who, having studied medicine three years with a respectable physician, and attended two full courses of lectures (one of which must be at this institution,) have passed a satisfactory examination before the Faculty and Board of Examiners.

All candidates for examination are required to present to the Dean, as early as June 1st, satisfactory certificates of having become twenty-one years of age, and of three years' study with a Doctor of Medicine, the tickets of two courses of lectures, and an original dissertation on some subject connected with medical science.

The dissertations are to be fairly written on uniform paper—for preservation in the College.

Examinations will be conducted by the Faculty, in the presence of the Board of Examiners appointed annually by the Supreme Court of Vermont.

Any gross immorality of character, becoming known to the Faculty, will disqualify a student for examination for a degree.

TEXT-BOOKS.

The following works are recommended for collateral reading during the lectures.

PRACTICE OF MEDICINE.—Mackintosh, Stokes, Hall or Watson.

OBSTETRICS.—Gooch, Dewees, Velpeau, Ramsbotham, Churchill or Meigs.

SURGERY.—John and Charles Bell, S. Cooper, Liston, Fergusson, Druitt or Chelius.

ANATOMY.—Bell, Horner, Dublin Dissector, Wilson, Cruveilhier or Quain and Sharpey.

PHYSIOLOGY.—Muller, Carpenter or Kirkes and Paget.

PATHOLOGICAL ANATOMY.—Andral, Gross or Jones and Sieveking.

MATERIA MEDICA.—United States Dispensatory, Pereira or Royle.

CHEMISTRY.—Turner, Beck, Silliman or Fownes.

MEDICAL JURISPRUDENCE.—Beck, Ryan or Taylor.

PRIVATE TERM.

In the three months immediately preceding the lectures, Prof. Thayer will instruct in Practical Anatomy, giving demonstrations daily.

The Dissecting Room of the College will accommodate forty students. Anatomical material will be supplied abundantly, at cost. The term begins on the 1st of December. Wilson's Anatomy is recommended as a text-book.

FEE.—\$15 for three months.

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Board, including room, fuel, lights and washing, may be obtained in good families, at from \$2,50 to \$3,00 per week.

W. H. THAYER, M. D., DEAN OF THE FACULTY.

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